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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT IRAQ: HOUSING SCHEME

REF: BAGHDAD 312; BAGHDAD 474

1. MAJOR PROJECTS USDOC CONTACTED PADDOCK UPTON AND ASSOCIATES INC., CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS, TO PASS INFO IN REFTELS.

FYI: EVIDENTLY AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS DID NOT DO MUCH TO DISSEMINATE INFO AS POST EARLIER REQUESTED BECAUSE PADDOCK-UPTON VERY INTERESTED BUT HAD NOT HEARD OF PROJECT. END FYI.

2. ROBIN UPTON OF PADDOCK UPTON HAS ASKED MAJOR PROJECTS TO TRANSMIT FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO DG OF HOUSING THROUGH GOOD OFFICES OF US INTEREST SECTION.

3. QUOTE: SERT, JACKSON (ARCHITECTS); SASAKI, DAWSON, DEMAY (SITE DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNERS); VAPPI & COMPANY (CONTRACTORS AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS); AND PADDOCK-UPTON (PLANNERS) HAVE FORMED CORPORATION NAMED AMERICAN DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION INC. RECORD OF PRESTIGIOUS UNCLASSIFIED

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INSTITUTIONAL, GOVERNMENT, AND PRIVATE CLIENTS LOW

COST HOUSING AND NEWTOWN EXPERIENCE IN U.S., EUROPE,
LATIN AMERICA, AND ASIA. VERY INTERESTED IN
REFERENCED PROJECT. PRINCIPALS WILL BE IN BEIRUT SEPTEMBER
4-6, 1974 WOULD BE PLEASED TO MAKE AN INITIAL VISIT TO
BAGHDAD. CAN YOU HELP ARRANGE MEETING WITH AL-ALI ALSO ASSIST
WITH HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS. END QUOTE.

4. UPTON EXPLAINED HE REQUESTS ASSISTANCE WITH HOTELS
BECAUSE HAS HEARD SITUATION IS VERY TIGHT NOW. THERE WOULD
BE TWO PEOPLE. ACCOMODATIONS NEEDED NIGHTS OF SEPTEMBER
SIXTH AND SEVENTH ASSUMING CAN SEE AL-ALI ON SATURDAY. IF
THESE DATES ARE BAD, PLEASE ADVISE WHEN APPOINTMENT CAN
BE MADE BECAUSE PADDOCK UPTON WILL HAVE TEAM IN NEAR EAST
FOR A COUPLE OF WEEKS. KISSINGER

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